

# CONTRACT FOR \$40,000 FREIGHT DEPOT LET; BEGIN WORK JUNE 12

IN WIRE TO THE INTELLIGENCER GENERAL MANAGER ANDERSON OF C. & W. C. REPORTS GREENVILLE FIRM SUCCESSFUL BIDDERS FOR JOB AND WORK WILL START AT ONCE

Contract for erection of the \$40,000 Charleston & Western Carolina railway depot in this city has been let to Jamison & Morris, a Greenville firm, and work will begin on June 12th. This statement comes from an official source, a special telegraphic dispatch having been received yesterday from Mr. A. W. Anderson, general manager of the C. & W. C.

Local Freight Agent G. F. Boyd was told by a reporter yesterday of the contract being let, and he was greatly pleased to learn that work on the depot is to be begun so soon. He expressed regret that a local concern was unable to secure the contract.

Mr. Dan Brown, of the Builders Home & Supply company, was one of the bidders for the contract. His bid was \$26,477.59. This sum would, of course, cover only actual construction and not be included in the cost of paving, sidings, spurs and various appurtenances necessary to a modern freight depot.

The new building will be located on Market street and will be occupied by the local freight department immediately it is completed. The total appropriation for the new building was \$40,000, and, according to Mr. Anderson, will compare favorably with any in this section of the state. It will be over 300 feet long.

The telegram received from Mr. Anderson yesterday read as follows: "Augusta, Ga., June 3rd, 1916. The Daily Intelligencer, Anderson, S. C."

In accordance with your request beg to advise we have let contract for Anderson depot to Jamison and Morris, Greenville, S. C., who were the lowest bidders they will begin work on the twelfth.

A. W. Anderson. Excerpts from a copy of specifications as submitted various bidders show that the building is to be strictly up-to-date and only the best materials used.

**Foundations.** Footings of all walls, pillars, etc., to be made concrete of size and width as shown by drawings. The contractor's proposal for construction shall include 606 cu. yds., of concrete foundation and 1350 cubic yards of foundation excavation. Twenty-one ventilators to be placed in foundation walls, of dimensions and locations as shown on plans.

**Brick Work.** All brick shall be laid with average uniform quality best hard burned brick. All brick work below the floor level shall be laid with hard burned brick, in cement mortar composed of one part Portland cement and three parts sand. The agent's office shall be provided with a chimney extending from the wall, and fitted with six-inch terra cotta flue.

**Stone Work.** The outside office door and all windows shall have sill, steps and sills of the best quality gray granite, free from shakes, spalls, streaks, or any other defects. The specifications include two pair of scales for the warehouse.

## CONSTRUCTION WORK AN OPTIMISTIC SIGN

LOCAL LUMBER DEALERS  
HANDLING LARGE VOLUME OF BUSINESS

## NEW BUILDINGS

Activity Along This Line Almost Unprecedented, and Anderson is Getting Her Share

Some idea of the large amount of building now going on, not only in the city but throughout the whole county, can be gained from the list below, furnished by some of the local lumber dealers. Many handsome residences are being erected, while others are remodeling their present homes, making them more attractive and modern. It goes to show the general optimistic feeling that is taking such strong hold of the business of the south. Just now the Townsend Lumber Co., is furnishing supplies, either wholly or in part for the Clinkscales building, on the East side of the square. A. D. Keyser's residence on River street, J. H. Godfrey's handsome new home on West Whitner street, the remodeling of J. M. Page's residence, remodeling Raymond Mattison's residence, two houses for H. G. Love, residence and barn for Mrs. Russell, at Autumn, remodeling residence Mrs. J. G. Duckworth, at Lebanon, post office building at Williamston, part of the material for the Anderson-Mattison building, residence O. D. Epps, Pendleton, remodeling home of Dr. N. A. Jenkins, addition to home of Miss Phillips at Sandy Springs, M. A. Hunnicutt home at Septus, and residences of J. B. Hodges, and Mrs. M. A. Shirley in the county.

**W. L. Brissett Lumber Co.** The W. L. Brissett Company is furnishing lumber and supplies for the following contracts: J. Fulmer Watson residence on South Main street, J. P. Peace, barn and store-room in South Anderson, E. E. Elmore, residence on North Fant, A. P. Cater, remodeling the McGee residence, which was burned, George Boyd's residence, and Leo G. Hollen's, both in North Anderson, Anniston county jail additions, part of the material for the construction at Ware Shoals, material for recovering houses at Orr mill, two up to date shower bath houses for mill operatives with five baths to each house with necessary waiting and dressing rooms. Material for repairs and additions at the Anderson Phosphate and Oil company.

## "THE LOVE MASK" AT BIJOU MONDAY

Is A Wonderful and Gripping Western Drama

Following their joint success in "The Golden Chance," Cleo Ridgley and Wallace Reid, will be seen at the Bijou on Monday, in the Jesse L. Lasky Play Company's production of "The Love Mask," a wonderful and gripping western drama written especially for them by Cecil B. DeMille and Jeanie MacPherson. Cleo Ridgley by her wonderful performance as the wife in "The Golden Chance," immediately established herself as one of the foremost dramatic stars of the screen. In "The Love Mask" as a young girl trying to eke out an existence by panning gold in the California days of '49, dressed in men's clothes and disguised as "Silver Spurs," a notorious bandit, she is seen in men's clothes and she is seen in a role totally unlike anything in which she has as yet appeared.

Wallace Reid, excellent and band-stand Lasky star, as the sheriff, torn between love for the girl and his sworn duty, is given an opportunity to show his wonderful ability as an actor, which has not been surpassed since he appeared with Geraldine Farrar in the Lasky production of "Carmen." The story of "The Love Mask" has to do with the adventures of Kate Kenner, a young woman who owing to the death of her parents during the mad rush for California gold in the year 1849, was forced to stake out a claim and eke out her own existence by panning. How she strikes a mother lode only to have it taken away from her—how she disguises herself as "Silver Spurs," the notorious bandit—how the sheriff, in love with her, is torn between conflicting emotions, and how, in the end, she is straightened out, is told in one of the most novel stories the Lasky company has ever as yet offered to the public.

## MAY REVOLUTIONIZE CLEANING OF STREETS

INVENTION OF ANDERSON  
WILL BE GIVEN A TRIAL  
IN FEW WEEKS

## IS BUILT HERE

Anderson Machine and Foundry Company Responsible For Construction

Mr. T. C. Connor, Anderson's inventor, is now at work building his street sweeper. This sweeper, if successful will revolutionize street cleaning, according to the inventor and will be tried on the city streets before the end of this month. Mr. Connor perfected his plans for this sweeper last year and after remaining in Anderson a short while secured the necessary capital to promote the patent. The sweeper is being built at the Anderson Machine and Foundry Co.'s works and is a monster.

According to Mr. Connor, the machine will be 20 feet long and will sweep a section of the street 10 feet wide. The street is not only swept, but the dust and dirt is collected and is deposited in a large box or bin, carried in the front of the machine. Contrary to the usual plan of such a sweeper, Mr. Connor did not attempt to make a vacuum cleaner for the streets, but used the old revolving brush principal. The brushes, being rapidly revolved, brush the dirt and dust up on a sloping plane, to be caught by other brushes and carried up into the bin. All working parts except the wheels are concealed under this pan and the machine is practically dust-proof.

Driven by a powerful motor, the machine furnishes its own motive power. This does away with the mules that are now used and one man can operate the machine when it is finished. As there is no sweeping left on the street, it is unnecessary to have the usual men with brooms to collect the dirt and dust after it is swept from the street. Speed and cleanliness are the two features the machine is designed to embody.

Mr. Connor declares that his sweeper ought to be finished in a week or ten days more. He says that the city council has promised him rights to demonstrate the sweeper and that is successful, they will consider his proposition. Other sweepers will be built here as soon as this one is tested.

## Fire Losses

Total Destruction in Anderson  
Last Month Amounted  
To \$9,516

The total fire loss in the city of Anderson last month was \$9,516, with an insurance loss of \$5,151. This information comes from Chief Jackson's monthly report of the fire department.

The fires were as follows: May 8. Anderson cotton mill, Glenn street, loss \$491. Covered by insurance.

May 9. Mrs. W. S. Sharpe, Greenville street, loss \$8,100. Insurance \$4,135.

May 10. M. L. Bopham, Greenville street, loss \$80. Covered by insurance.

May 10 and 14. Two alarms from fires outside the fire limits of the city.

May 16. J. H. Anderson, South Main street, loss \$260. Covered by insurance.

May 16. False alarm.

May 17. G. N. Broyles, West Reed street. Loss not adjusted.

May 17. Mrs. S. P. Dennett, South Main street. Loss \$75. Covered by insurance.

May 17. Hotel Chiquola. Practically no damage.

May 26. J. F. Shelor, Boulevard, loss \$250. Insurance \$150.

May 27. Bellevue Hotel, North Main street, practically no damage.

This completes the fire loss of the city of Anderson. The loss is comparatively small and the insurance percentage is a good one.

## FOUR '12 GRADS WORK SAME R. R.

A. B. Fant, Anderson, Has Three Classmates With Seaboard

Mr. Arlington B. Fant, Industrial Agent Seaboard Air Line railway, stationed at Jacksonville, Fla., is at home for a few days visit to his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Foster Fant, on Fant street. Mr. Fant is a Clemson graduate of the class of 1912, and his first work with the S. A. L. was in the capacity of Agricultural agent, which place is now filled by a class mate of his.

Three other members of the class of '12, friends and class mates of Mr. Fant, are with the Seaboard, and all making good.

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## TEACHERS FOR CITY SCHOOLS ARE CHOSEN

NO ASSIGNMENTS ARE EXPECTED, THOUGH, UNTIL FALL TERM

## TRUSTEES MEET

Selection Of Teachers Only Important Matter Before Board—Glenn School

The completion of the corps of teachers for the Anderson city schools for next session was the matter of greatest importance before the trustees of the city schools who met in regular session Friday afternoon.

With the election of teachers, the staff for next year is complete. No assignments have been made and as this matter rests with Mr. E. C. McCants, the superintendent, it is unlikely that any assignment will be made until just before school opens. Following are the results of the elections:

Mr. Harper Ballentine, son of Mr. Z. C. Ballentine, a graduate of Furman university, and who has been teaching in the Long Branch school, was elected to teach algebra in the high school.

Miss Ethel Hair, formerly of South Carolina, but now living in Live Oak, Fla., was elected her work to be assigned later. She has taught school in Sumter county and at Greer.

Miss Mary Bigham of Chester was elected her work to be assigned later. She has been teaching in T. S. Matthews.

Miss Annie Shirley, daughter of Mr. J. A. Shirley, was elected, her work to be assigned later. She has been teaching school in Anderson county.

Miss Althea Williford, daughter of Mr. S. W. Williford, was elected, her work to be assigned later. She has been teaching in the McLees school in the county.

Miss Sadie Clarke of this city was elected, her work to be assigned later. She has been teaching in the Lebanon school.

Miss Margaret Clinkscales, daughter of Mr. T. L. Clinkscales, was elected, her work to be assigned later. She has been a librarian at Anderson college.

Miss Selma Crawford of the county was elected, her work to be assigned later. She has been principal of the High Point school near Honea Path.

Another matter before the board was the question of building two new rooms at the Glenn street school. This was referred to the building committee and the next meeting will hear a report from this committee on that subject.

## Live Rattler

The Tate Hardware Company Has A Unique Display in Window

A real live rattlesnake on display has attracted considerable attention at the Tate Hardware Co. The snake is in a big wire cage and is a sure-enough rattler. It is several feet long and has the necessary rattles and accoutrements that go to make up one of the snakes of which so much has been written. The snake was brought to Anderson in a small box and when the box was opened and the reptile removed, quite a stir was caused. A piece of wire was fastened around the snake's head and he was gently removed from the box, only to make a great struggle and scare the curious crowd away. The snake is now enjoying considerable notoriety as an advertising medium for the hardware store.

**Hopewell Social Circle.**

A very enjoyable affair of this week was the meeting of the Hopewell Social Circle with Mrs. Hunter Thompson Thursday afternoon. A number of our members were there and several visitors were an additional pleasure to the meeting.

Miss Kathleen Thompson favored us with good music on the piano during the afternoon.

Mrs. Thompson assisted by Mrs. Glenn, Mrs. Rhodes and Miss Ellis Thompson served a delicious salad course.

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## The ANDERSON

MONDAY

"A WOMAN'S CONQUEST"

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## FIRE DESTROYS ANDERSON HOME

Flames Devastate Residence of Charles Henderson in Eastern Part of City

Fire destroyed the home of Mr. Charles Henderson, in the eastern part of the city, at 8 o'clock last night. The fire originated in the kitchen of the house and spread rapidly, being entirely enveloped by the flames before the fire department could get a stream of water flowing.

Being well out of the fire limits, it was necessary to lay about 1,500 feet of hose to get any water on the fire. The nearest hydrant is on the extension of East Orr street, and to have laid the hose around the street would have taken some 3,000 or more feet. One wagon was sent back up East Orr street to the hydrant and stretched hose to the old Tan Yard creek. Other sections of hose were pulled across a vacant field to the house and at last the water was turned on. This saved an adjoining barn from being burned.

Mr. Henderson stated to a representative of this paper that he and his family had just started to the city when they heard the fire bells ringing and in a few moments saw the blaze and hurried back to find their home in flames. Neighbors and early arrivals at the scene succeeded in getting everything out of the house except the kitchen furniture. The fire evidently started from the stove on which supper had been cooked just prior to the family's leaving the house. This part of the house was burning rapidly when the fire department arrived and by the time the water was turned on, the house was practically destroyed.

Mr. Henderson said that he had \$200 insurance on his household goods, and the greater part of his furniture was saved, even to the rugs on the floors and materials of the house.

The house was owned by Mr. R. C. McKinney and Keys Gilmet. It was located just off East Orr street and this is the second time the place has been visited by a fire.

HON. LEON L. RICE

A Visitor in Town of Williamston Wednesday.

Williamston, June 2.—Hon. Leon L. Rice of Anderson was a business visitor in town Wednesday. Mr. Rice is in the place for solicitor of this district. He is one of Anderson's most prominent lawyers and will no doubt make an excellent race.



## Commencement

You have an invitation for commencement exercises Monday night and you'll want a remembrance. This is a mighty good place to find lots of pretty useful, things—suitable in every way—expensive or inexpensive as you wish, but all good.

## YOU'LL FIND

Pink and White Ivory Toilet Articles  
Ivory Fans Ostrich Fans  
Picture Frames  
Hand Mirrors Hair Ornaments  
Jewelry

Dorine Boxes Bags Neckwear  
Silk Hosiery Gloves  
Handkerchiefs  
Silk Parasols Silk Umbrellas  
Silk Washable Camisoles, etc.

If you wish we'll fix them in neat packages and have them delivered for you. Come in Monday and look over these things. We are sure you'll find something that will suit.

Moore-Wilson Co  
THE DAYLIGHT STORE

# COME MONDAY



## Paraso! Sale

Monday

Children's Fancy Parasols at 25c

Children's Fancy Parasols at 50c

Ladies' Fancy Parasols at 75c

Ladies' Fancy Parasols at 98c, \$1.25, \$1.50, \$3.00 and \$5.00

## Sport Hats

Ladies' Sport Hats Monday, 50c.

## Millinery! Millinery!

A rousing big Millinery Sale Monday

PATTERN HATS ONE-THIRD OFF



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Values up to \$35.00

White Wash Skirts For Monday

Wash Skirts, 2 Pockets, Monday at \$1.25 Each

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## MONDAY

CLEO RIDGLEY AND WALLACE REID

In (The Love Mask.)

## TUESDAY

MARGUERITE SNOW

In (Rosemary.)

## WEDNESDAY

ALL STAR CAST

In (St. Elmo.)

## THURSDAY

HOLBROOK BLINN

In (The Butterfly On The Wheel)

## FRIDAY

MARGUERITE CLARK

In (Molly Make-Believe.)

## SATURDAY

HELEN HOLMES

In (THE GIRL AND THE GAME)

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